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PATENT

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For: MATERIAL FOR SOLID POLYELECTROLYTE
SUITABLE FOR USE IN FUEL CELL

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Attached is:

a response after Final Rejection dated
 a response to the Office Action dated September 30, 2002
 a Preliminary Amendment
 a Petition for an extension of time
 X Other: Attachments A-B; Information Disclosure Statement, List and 1 Reference

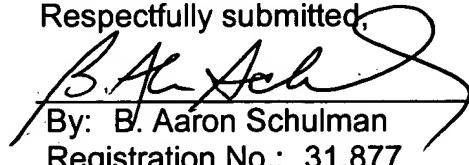
Fees: For claims if required and/or other fees as shown below:

	NOW	Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	\$
TOTAL CLAIMS	41	29		X \$ 18 =	216.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	3	1	X \$ 84 =	84.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CLAIMS FEES =					300.00
Reduction by 1/2 for small entity status of applicant					
SUBTOTAL =					300.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee for extension of time (per attached Petition)					930.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement fee					180.00
TOTAL OF ALL FEES =					\$1,410.00

A check in the amount of \$ 1,410.00 is enclosed. If no check or an insufficient check is enclosed and a fee is due in connection herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee or additional fee due in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 12-0555.

In the event that a petition for extension of time is required to be submitted herewith and that a separate petition is not submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time of as many months as are required to render this submission timely. Any fee is authorized above.

Respectfully submitted,

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